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Melanie Best, P.O. Box 458, Kimberling City, Mo. 65686 417-739-9412

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA holder of a certain Deed of Trust, whose parties, dates and recording information are below, does hereby acknowledge that it has received full payment and satisfaction of the same and in consideration thereof does hereby Carcel Discharge and the same, and in consideration thereof, does hereby Cancel, Discharge and Reconvey said Deed of Trust, and the estate, title and interest now held by it under said Deed of Trust, without warranty, to the person or persons legally entitled thereto.

Original Trustor (Borrower): JOHNNY W. HIGDON HUSBAND AND WIFE LAURA B. HIGDON, Original Beneficiary (Lender): PULASKI MORTGAGE COMPANY Original Trustee: ARNOLD WEISS Date: 11/26/2001 and Recorded 12/03/2001 as Instrument No. Book/Reel/Liber 1419, Page/Folio 0342, in the Records of the County Recorder of DE SOTO County MISSISSIPPI

Property Address: 8503 Saddle Creek Drive, Olive Branch, MS, 38654

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, by the officer duly authorized, has duly executed the foregoing instrument.

Washington Mutual Bank, FA January 31, 2003

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MELANIE BEST, ASST. VICE PRESIDENT

STATE OF Missouri COUNTY OF Stone

On

ON January 31, 2003, before me, PEG WEBER, a Notary Public in and for the County of Stone County, State of Missouri, personally appeared Melanie Best, Asst. Vice President, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity, and that by his/her/their signature on the instrument the person(s) or the entity were behalf of which the person(s) instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

DEG WEBER

Notary Expires: 09/27/2005

**PEG WEBER** Notary Public - Notary Seal STATE OF MISSOURI Stone County My Commission Expires Sept. 27, 2005

(This area for notarial seal)

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